10th Anniversary 2004 Charleston Air Force Base, SC April 04

315th Airlift Wing Excellence Over the Years

Web site: afrc.af.mil/315aw/315.alumni.htm

Flight 315 Bulletin...news of our heroes, 315th Airlift Wing Alumni Association

35th Anniversary of the 943rd/315th Airlift Wing
10th Anniversary of the 315th Airlift Wing Alumni Association
You are invited units/squadrons and all former personnel on 14-15 May 2004
Make reservation now by returning your Registration Form early! Club limit 500.

Luncheon Alumni Meeting is on 7th April 04 at the Charleston Club at 1100 hrs. Plan to attend. Many are taking advantage of the lunch to enjoy fellowship with past and present members. Door prizes & goodies awarded. Don't miss it!

Return Anniversary Registration - This is great opportunity for the squadrons/units past and present members to come together and enjoy catching up and see the changes. Visit with your squadron and meet new friends. Yes, we will enjoy a dance or two together, toast for old times and tell about those early days which were so important to the foundation and history of the 943rd/315th Airlift Wing Command. Please make your arrangements to come for the weekend activities. It will be an honor to have you here. Much is being done by the present folks to make sure you have a great reunion at the 35th Anniversary. We want to see as many as possible of the past and present members attend. Don't have one, you can go to the web site and print one out or contact us.

Alumni Golf Sponsorships - The association, a non-profit organization with nearly 900 members, supports the military men and women of the 315th Airlift Wing. We have sponsored and financed deserving airman and their spouses to the Air Force Ball; hosted "Safety Aircraft Down Days"; provided funds for the mini C-17 model aircraft; provided floats in the Tri-County Veterans Day Parade; assisted with "Debi's Toys for Kids"; and provided financial assistance on several major events/projects. We also support many of the Airlift Wing's moral events.

We want to make this year's golf tournament our best event yet, but we need your contribution/donations (gift certificates, mementos, etc.) to make this happen. We are offering a sponsorship opportunity which is:

- Gold Level for.. \$150 Large sign
- Silver Level for \$100 Medium sign
- Hole Sponsor for \$50 Small sign.

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What would you	ike printed on your sign?		
Name:	Donated Item:	Check \$	

Your donated gifts to the 315th AW Alumni Association Golf Tournament are strictly for the purpose of that private organization and not an official part of the Department of Defense or the United States Air Force. Your gift will help make the golf tournament a success. Thank you in advance for supporting the military alumni association. We appreciate your generosity, and invite you to play golf on May 14th.

Request volunteers to help at the golf tournament on 14 May. There is a need for hole spotters (bring a comfortable lawn chair and sun umbrella), golf cart drivers for drinks, registration table help and shirt sales persons. Your help will be greatly appreciated and most welcome. If you can lend a hand...please email or call us so we can add your name to the list of volunteers.

Membership Dues...It is a pleasure staying in touch with members of the 315th Airlift Wing Reserves Forces. We believe it's important to stay in touch with our people, now nearly 900 members, especially those who serve and retire or separate from the squadrons/units of the 315th Airlift Wing. We are proud of your military accomplishments and service in the United States Armed Service. We don't want to lose our military contact with you. As a member in good standing...please remit dues promptly.

Request Current Email Address...Many alumni members receive information via email. This keeps membership cost reasonable; however, we need your help to keep email addresses current. If you have not received an email within the last 45 days, then your email address has failed or we do not have a current one. When you receive this newsletter via mail...kindly forward us your current email address...staying in touch with members is a pleasure!

315th Airlift Wing Members Deployed - About 881 of our reservists are on active duty in the United States and abroad worldwide. Some of these soldiers are on their second or third duty tour.

Information you can use...for military alums/Active & Retired

--THUNDERBIRDS...Charleston Air Force Base... 22 May 04

--London, England Trip...space A

As a tour guide for groups visiting London for several years now and have always thought that plenty of retirees/alumni would like to go but do not have the adventurous spirit of going on a trip alone...I am developing a trip for Space A travel toward end of May early June where we go from Charleston to London and back together and will serve as the guide, making sure no one falls by the wayside. We have a plan with costs and particulars if you are interested for a week in London which is affordable, at a good time of the year and reasonably. Let's go have a wonderful fun trip!